

# Future Opportunities, Future Challenges

## Peak Performance is skyrocketing

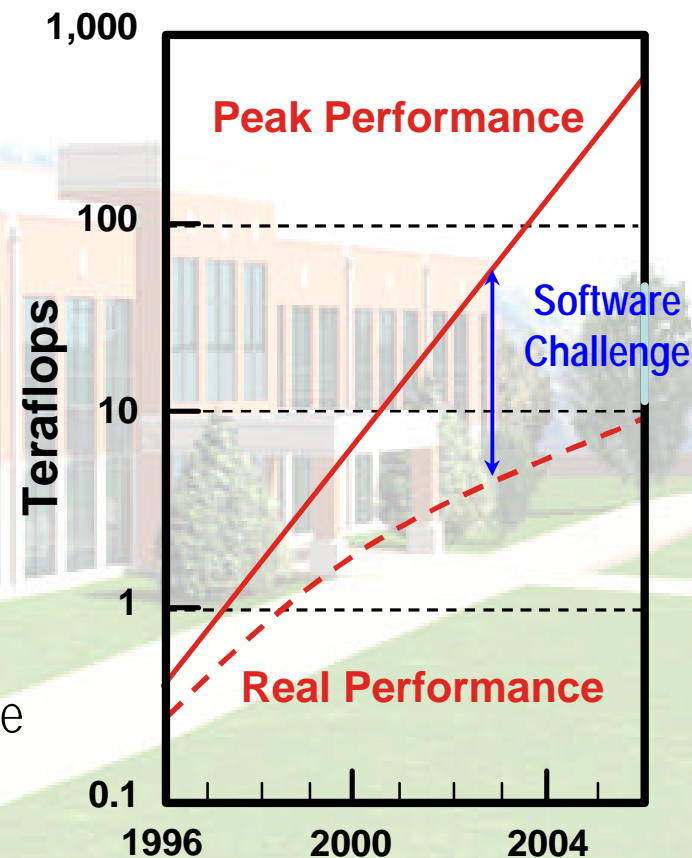
- In past 10 years, peak performance has increased 100x; in next 5 years, it will increase 1000x

## Real Performance is increasing, but ...

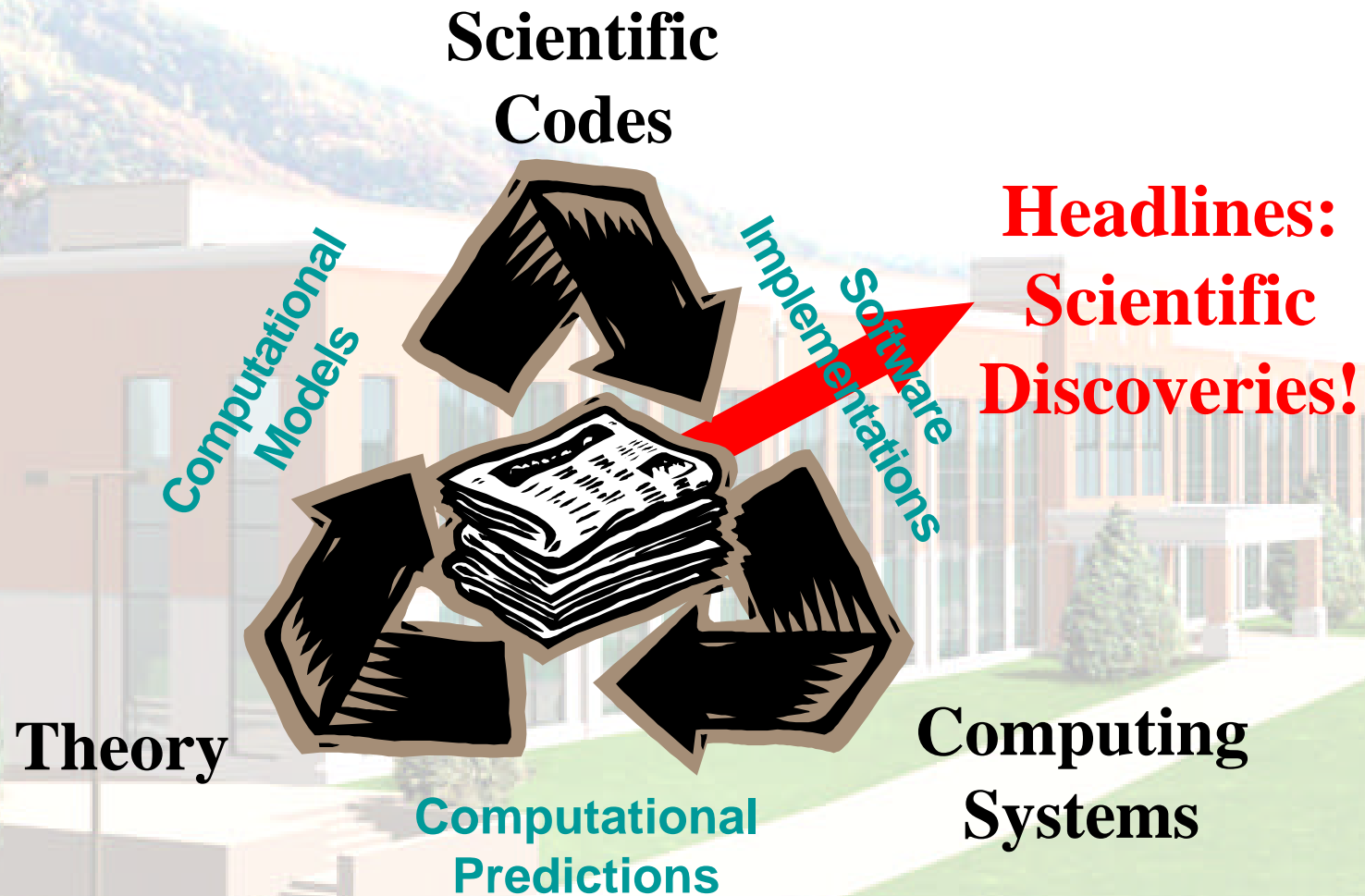
- Efficiency has declined from 40-50% on vector supercomputers of 1990s to as little as 5-10% on parallel supercomputers of today

## Research challenge is software

- Scientific codes to model and simulate physical processes and systems
- Computing and mathematics software to enable use of advanced computers for scientific applications
- Continuing investments as computer architectures undergo fundamental changes



# Advancing Scientific Discovery



*Advancing scientific discovery through computation requires continuing investments in theory, scientific codes, and computing systems, coupled with validation of computational predictions.*